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## Iowa Youth Congress

The program put me around other minorities who also had plans to further their education...

I realized I wasn't alone! And that played a huge role in my feelings towards higher education.

The chance to really speak my mind and express how I felt about different topics was just great.

[It] made me feel like I was really someone.

- Cesar Pelaez, Iowa Youth Congress Member

## **Iowa Youth Congress 2010 Regional Meeting Information**

Regional Meetings will take place in October at three different Community Colleges across the state. Each participant <u>must</u> attend the regional meeting <u>closest</u> to them, where they will present their three issues to the other representatives of their region.

Below are the dates, times and locations of this year's regional meetings.

- Oct. 9th: Iowa Western Tech Community College in Denison
  11 North 35th Street, Denison, IA 51442
  Meeting from 9AM 2PM
- Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>: Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids 6301 Kirkwood Blvd. SW, Cedar Rapids IA 52406 Meeting in Iowa Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floors, Rooms A & B 9AM -4PM
- Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup>: Des Moines Area Community College Urban Campus 1100 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines IA 50314 Meeting in Building 1, Rooms 124 & 126 9AM – 4PM

Please bring pen/pencil and paper with you. Also make sure you have researched the three issues you are proposing so that you can have a strong debate if you would like your issue heard at the annual session.

Those interested in being candidates for the 2010-2011 lowa Youth Congress Cabinet must be present at the regional meeting. The Cabinet consists of the following positions: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Regional Chair and Regional Secretary. Cabinet positions are only available to Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors.

\*Lunch will be provided. Mileage will be reimbursed when requested.

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